

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PR&RD – Allegations of irregularities in execution of road work “Providing BT road from Jeellacheruvu to Motapuram via Nelapatla” in Khammam District – Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Asst. Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur – Disciplinary proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of charges – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 566 .

Dated: 07.04.2012

ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II and III).

3. Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur, is directed to submit within (10) days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.

4. Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of article of those charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny article of charge.

5. Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the period specified in Para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders / directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

6. Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

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7. The receipt of this order shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

C.R. BISWAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Asst. Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Nelakondapalli and now Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Guntur through the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

(in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:

The G.A.(V&E) Dept. (w.r.t.Vigilance Report No.100 (1503/V&E/E2/2007-6),
dt. 30.08.2010.

The PR&RD (Estt.I) Department.

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ANNEXURE-I

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 566 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.07.04.2012)

STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGE AGAINST SRI P. VENU BABU, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ, NELAKONDAPALLI AND NOW ASST. EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ SUB-DIVISION, GUNTUR.

CHARGE:

That the said Sri P. Venu Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Sub-Division, Nelakondapalli, has recorded the 75 mm metal layer at KM 5/580 to 6/000 pertaining to the work "Providing BT road from Jeellacheruvu to Motapuram via Nelapatla" which was not at all executed and caused excess payment of Rs.3,48,237/-. Thus the individual failed to maintain integrity in executing the said work and deviated from his legitimate duties.

Basis:

As per the findings of the Vigilance Report No.100 (1503/V&E/E2/2007-6) dt. 30.08.2010, the 75 mm metal layer pertaining to the work "Providing BT road from Jeellacheruvu to Motapuram via Nelapatla" was not at all executed at some locations, i.e., at KM 5/580 to 6/000, but the said officer has check measured this "not executed" part of the work. The value of this not executed part of the work which was check measured and paid to the contractor is amounting to Rs.3,48,237/- for which the said officer is directly responsible.

Hence, the charge.

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ANNEXURE-II

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 566 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 07.04.2012)

LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGE ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED AGAINST SRI P. VENU BABU, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ, NELAKONDAPALLI AND NOW ASST. EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ SUB-DIVISION, GUNTUR.

General Administration (V&E) Dept., Vigilance Report No.100 (1503/V&E/E2/2007-6),
dt. 30.08.2010.

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ANNEXURE-III

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 566 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.07.04.2012)

LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGE ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED AGAISNT SRI P. VENU BABU, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ, NELAKONDAPALLI AND NOW ASST. EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, PANCHAYAT RAJ SUB-DIVISION, GUNTUR.

- NIL -

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